Operation Provide Joy a success



Kaylyn Gess, 5, sits on Santa's lap to tell him what she wants for Christmas before receiving gifts at Operation Provide Joy held Saturday at the Trail's End Club.

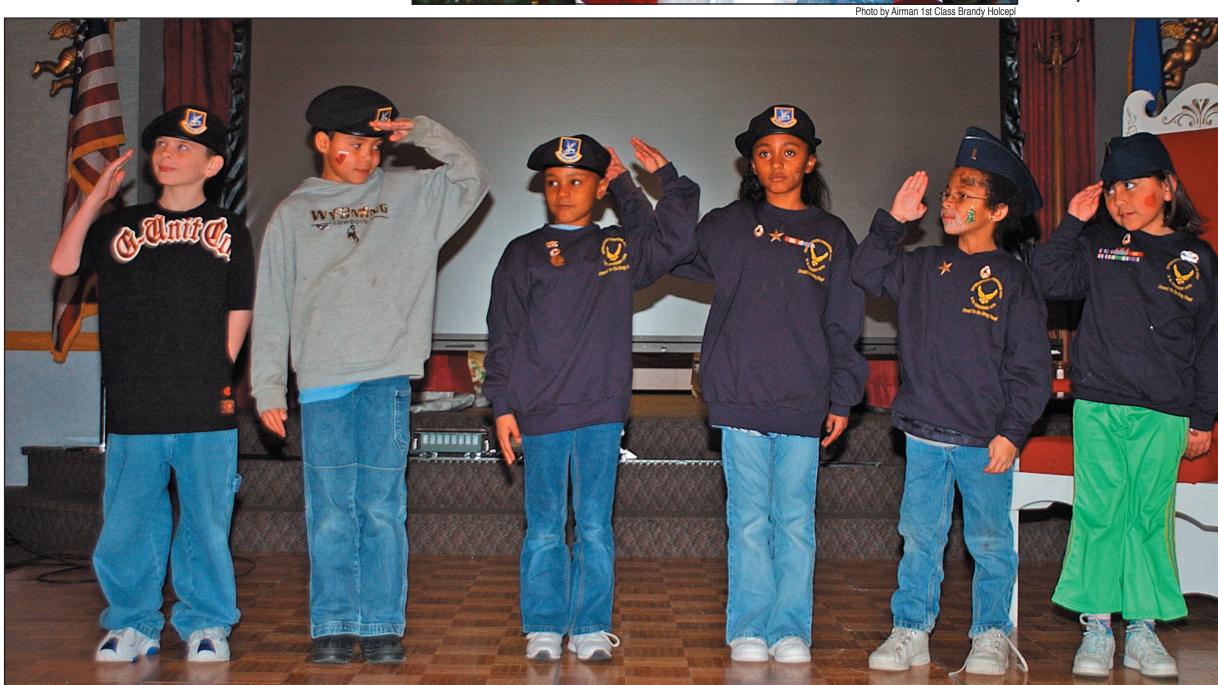


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Above: Children show off their salute during Operation Provide Joy Saturday at the Trail's End Club. The kids showed off their military bearing by demonstrating the positions of parade rest and attention. Operation Provide Joy is an annual Warren event hosted by the Company Grade Officers' Council to give disadvantaged children of the local community a day of fun and gifts. Fifty children attended the event this year and a total of 80 families received holiday meals.

Below: Stephanie Teubner, President of Warren Federal Credit Union, and Gaylene Hasert, Branch Manager of the Warren FCU here, present Capt. Mike Morris, 90th Space Wing Plans and Programs and Co-Chairman of Operation Provide Joy, with a donation check for \$1,000 to support OPJ Dec. 8 at the credit union.



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Col. Michael Carey, 90th Space Wing Commander, places his ribbons on the shirt of Cody Christoffersen during Operation Provide Joy Saturday at the Trail's End Club. It is a tradition for the child's military escort to present him with the ribbons and badges from their service dress uniform.